SOC-NET NEWS  
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Dr. Holtzclaw-Stone will be on furlough this Friday, 2/12/10. The Advising Office will be open for normal walk in hours from 9-12, but will be closed in the afternoon.

FALL 2010 COURSES AVAILABLE

SOC 400 – Sociology Internships with Dr. Holtzclaw-Stone
Course Description:
The internship course is designed to provide Juniors and Seniors majoring in Sociology with an opportunity to engage in experiential learning in which they apply sociological concepts, skills, and knowledge in a work environment. Students will complete internships in a setting of their choosing including but not limited to community organizations, government agencies, and local businesses under supervision. Students will attend classes throughout the semester and engage in reflective activities on the process and meaning of experiential learning. Limited seats are available.
Prerequisite: SOC 100, six additional hours of Sociology coursework, Junior or Senior standing.
For more information – contact Dr. Holtzclaw-Stone: holtzcla@illinois.edu

UPCOMING EVENTS

CAS Initiative

Interpreting Technoscience: Explorations in Identity, Culture and Democracy

Visualizing Health: Magnetic Resonance Imaging in Popular Culture and American Medicine

Kelly Joyce, Department of Sociology, The College of William and Mary

Tuesday, February 9, 2010
Knight Auditorium, Spurlock Museum
4:00pm

Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) scans are often linked to transparency, truth, and progress in media and popular science narratives. But, can MRI provide the corporeal transparency ascribed to it? Drawing on ethnographic research and in-depth interviews, Kelly Joyce will follow MRI scans from the MRI unit to the reading room to the referring clinician's office. Discussing technologists' and physicians' work practices offers insight into how health care professionals understand the technology and why they use it.
Examining MRI in practice raises questions about visuality, identity, and health in the 21st century.

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The Death of Hollywood: Exaggeration or Reality?

Janet Wasko, School of Journalism and Communication, University of Oregon

Friday, February 12, 2010
Knight Auditorium, Spurlock Museum
4:00pm

How are digital technologies changing the film industry's models of production, distribution, and consumption? What is the future of Hollywood? What's new with global Hollywood and culture industries worldwide? Political economy is needed to understand the continuities and changes of today's entertainment industries.
In honor of National Eating Disorders Awareness Week (Feb. 21-27)

NoBODY is Perfect
Wednesday, February 24
ARC Auditorium
7-9 PM

Eating disorders and a range of disordered eating behaviors are increasingly common among college men and women. This program is designed to bring attention to the prevalence of eating and body image concerns on campus and to provide information about media and other factors of influence, the role of nutrition and exercise, and treatment and recovery. The program will begin with a segment of Diane Israel's 2009 documentary film "Beauty Mark." A panel presentation and discussion will follow. Panelists include campus and community experts on nutrition, fitness, media influence, and treatment, as well as a current U of I student who will share her personal story of recovery.
Workshop: Internship Essentials
Tues, February 9, 4pm: Internship Essentials
Learn how to search for and successfully obtain career related work experiences

Workshop: Internship Essentials for International Students
Tues, February 9, 5pm
Learn how to search for and successfully obtain career related work experiences. Information geared towards international students.

Workshop: Anatomy of a Successful Pre-Health Student
Wednesday, February 10 at 4pm.

Workshop: Winning Résumés
Wed. February 10, 5pm:
The basics of writing a resume including format and objectives in a one hour workshop. Cover letters and special situations are also addressed.

Workshop: Conducting Company Research
Thurs, February 11, 5pm
Learn how and why to use online tools (LexisNexis, Corporate Affiliations, etc.) to research employers when during the internship and job hunt. Bring a wireless laptop for hands-on practice.

All workshops are one hour and are held at the Arcade Building Conference Room 143 at The Career Center – 715 S. Wright Street, Champaign. Students must register on our website under the Upcoming Events heading: www.careercenter.illinois.edu. You can find our complete Spring 2010 Calendar of Events and Workshops at: http://www.careercenter.illinois.edu/library/fliers/Our%20Services/Calendar%20of%20Events.pdf

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

Would you be willing to participate in an online survey?

The survey can be found at: http://www.careercenter.illinois.edu/survey

The survey will take only about 10 minutes to complete. As a token of thanks for your participation in this study, you may choose to enter a raffle for an iPod touch.

You should know that:

* Your participation in the survey is voluntary
* Information that you provide in the survey is confidential
* Your name will not be associated with your responses
* You have the right to exit out of the survey at any point
Only aggregate data that cannot be attributed to any one person will be reported. The results of this survey will be shared with members of the Career Services Network to improve services to students at the University of Illinois. Selected aggregate results may also be shared in conferences or publications for career services professionals.

**LAS 101 Internships**

The application for LAS 101 interns is now available on the LAS website. Students can find out about the position and complete the application online at [http://www.las.uiuc.edu/students/enrichment/](http://www.las.uiuc.edu/students/enrichment/). Interns will each teach one section of our brand new LAS 101 Freshmen Seminar. We need 80 interns for Fall 2010. The application deadline is March 5.

**CU Haiti Relief Fundraiser**

An Informational Forum and Fundraiser

Thursday, February 11, 2010
7:00-9:00 PM (6:30 PM doors)
Alice Campbell Alumni Center
601 S. Lincoln Avenue, Urbana

Before this Valentine's Day weekend, C-U Haiti Relief will present an informational forum, performance, and fundraiser for earthquake relief efforts in Haiti. Speakers with intimate knowledge of the country will share their experiences and perspectives on current events. Students will be given information on ways to participate in relief efforts. The evening will close with a musical performance by a to-be-determined ensemble. Specific speaker and musician lineup is forthcoming.

There will be a $5 suggested donation for attendants (all proceeds will go directly to Haitian disaster recovery). A donation is by no means required for attendance. Non-monetary donations (e.g., medical supplies) are also accepted.

C-U Haiti Relief is a consortium of students, faculty, and Champaign-Urbana community members working for disaster recovery in Haiti. C-U Haiti Relief is an initiative of Planners Network. This forum is to be the first of the group's initiatives. To receive updates on this event, and for other information, we encourage you to follow us on Facebook: [http://www.facebook.com/home.php?#!/group.php?v=wall&ref=mf&gid=251307774436](http://www.facebook.com/home.php?#!/group.php?v=wall&ref=mf&gid=251307774436)

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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Epic also offers a unique work atmosphere. Our 530 acre campus has 7 themed office buildings, a tree house conference room, a waterfall, a stream, an orchard, a gourmet cafeteria, and a working farm. We offer competitive compensation packages and employ a fun and diverse group of people from all over the world.

We have one of the most selective hiring processes in the U.S., so when you work here, you’ll get to collaborate with the brightest minds in the healthcare industry and make a difference from day 1. Improve healthcare, get great benefits, and wear jeans to work.

What does a Project Manager do?

Our Project Managers work with hospitals and healthcare organizations to get our systems up and running. As a Project Manager you would analyze client needs, develop tailored strategies, configure the system, and ensure a successful implementation of our software. A software background is NOT required, and you will receive extensive training.

What are the qualifications?

We’re looking for exceptional performers and people who are interested in spending 50% of their time traveling the country (and possibly the world). All positions require relocation to Madison, which is paid for by Epic. Madison is the capital of Wisconsin, and home to a Big Ten University so there are numerous cultural, political, and athletic events for your enjoyment. We have three beautiful lakes, lots of green space and seemingly endless bike paths that provide a lot of outdoor entertainment as well.

To learn more, visit www.epic.com.

How do I apply?

If you are interested in this or another role at Epic, you can submit your resume through our website, http://www.epic.com/forms/application.php.